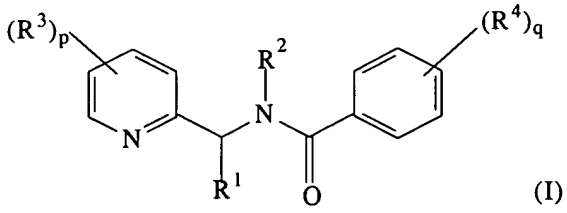
LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A fungicidal composition comprising:

a) a pyridylmethylbenzamide derivative of general formula (I)



(I)

in which:

-R^1 may be a hydrogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl group or an optionally substituted acyl group;

- R^2 may be a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl group; -

- R^3 and R^4 may be chosen independently from each other as being a halogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, -SFs, a trialkylsilyl group, an optionally substituted amino group, an acyl group, or a group E, OE or SE, in which E may be an alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkenyl, aryl or a heterocyclyl group each of which may optionally be substituted;

- p represents 0,1, 2,3 or 4;

- q represents 0,1, 2,3 or 4; and its agriculturally acceptable optical and/or geometric isomers, tautomers and addition salts with an acid or a base;

and

b) a chloronitrile derivative which is chlorothalonil; in a compound (1)/chlorothalonil weight ratio of from 0.005 to 1.

2. (Original) A composition according to claim 1, characterised in that R^1 and R^2 are chosen independently from each other as being a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl group.

3. (Original) A composition according to claim 2, characterised in that the optionally substituted alkyl group is a methyl group or an ethyl group.

4. (Original) A composition according to claim 3, characterised in that R^1 and R^2 are both hydrogen atoms.

5. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1 ~~any one of the claims 1 to 4~~, characterised in that R^3 and R^4 are chosen independently from each other as being a halogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a nitro group, an optionally substituted amino group, an acyl group, or a group E, OE or SE, in which E may be a alkyl, a cycloalkyl, a phenyl or a heterocyclyl group, each of which may optionally be ~~subtituted~~ substituted.

6. (Original) A composition according to claim 5, characterised in that R^3 and R^4 are chosen independently from each other as being a halogen atom, a nitro group or a halogenoalkyl group.

7. (Original) A composition according to claim 6, characterised in that the halogen atom is a chlorine atom and the halogenoalkyl group is a trifluoromethyl group.

8. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1 ~~any one of the claims 1 to 7~~, characterised in that p and q are chosen independently from each other as being is 1 or 2.

9. (Original) A composition according to claim 8, characterised in that p is 2.

10. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 8 ~~or 9~~, characterised in that q is 2.

11. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1 ~~any one of the claims 1 to 10~~, characterised in that the compound of general formula (I) is chosen as being

- a compound (Ia) which is 2, 6-dichloro-N-{[3-chloro-5- (trifluoromethyl)-2- pyridinyl] methyl} benzamide; or

- a compound (Ib) which is N-{[3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl] methyl}-2-fluoro-6-nitrobenzamide ; or

- a compound (Ic) which is N-{[3-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-pyridinyl] methyl}-2-methyl-6-nitrobenzamide.

12. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1 ~~any one of the claims 1 to 11~~, characterised in that the compound (1) / chlorothalonil weight ratio is from 0.015 to less than 0. 1.

13. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1 ~~any one of the claims 1 to 11~~, characterised in that the compound (1) / chlorothalonil weight ratio is from greater than 0. 1 to 0.2.

14. (Original) A composition according to claim 13, characterised in that the compound (I) / chlorothalonil weight ratio is from 0.12 to 0.2.

15. (Currently amended) A composition according to claim 1 ~~any one of the claims 1 to 14~~, characterised in that it further comprises an agriculturally acceptable support, carrier, filler and/or surfactant.

16. (Currently amended) A method for preventively or curatively controlling phytopathogenic fungi of crops, characterised in that an effective and non-phytotoxic amount of a

composition according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 15~~ claim 1 is applied to the seed, the plant and/or to the fruit of the plant or to the soil in which the plant is growing or in which it is desired to grow.

17. (Original) A method according to claim 16, characterised in that the plant is potato, vegetables or lawn.